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Napoleon Would Have Approved

Not One Wine-ing Complaint

DRY AND SWEET Burgundy wines including Chambertin, Napoleon's favorite, were tasted with gusto Saturday by the Chevaliers du Tastevin at the French Embassy.

French Ambassador Herve Alphand, a member of the wine tasting society, was host at the party. Four wines with suitable accompanying edibles were lined up on two banquet tables in the dining room.

Guests started out with three dry wines of the year

1953 and ended up sampling a sweet dessert sauterne of the year 1937.

First there was Mersault Genevriere, accompanied by a delicate Brit cheese. Then, Pommard Premiere Cuvee, Chambertin—it is said that Napoleon carried it with him on all his campaigns — and Chateau Coutet.

PERUVIAN Ambassador Fernando Berckemeyer was among the diplomatic Chevaliers enjoying the party. A new member was Gilbert La

Gorce who was welcomed by Grand Officer Harry Howells of the Washington chapter of the Chevaliers.

The only lady member of the society, Mrs. Blake Clark, and her husband were accompanied by the President of the Motion Picture Association and Mrs. Eric Johnston; Gen. and Mrs. Charles Cabell, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murchison.

Others there included Waverly Taylor, Harry Semmes and Dr. Walter Bloedorn.